



Better Opportunities for Single Soldiers



BOSS EXECUTIVE REPRESENTATIVE MEETING AGENDA 16 FEBRUARY 2011

- I. Call meeting to order
- II. Greeting
- III. Roll call and Administrative Notes
 - A. Sign-in on roster
 - B. Update and correct contact information
 - C. Executive representatives need to get names and contacts of their junior representatives. Email them to the SGT Vobian at carrie.vobian@us.army.mil
 - D. Appointment orders for the position of primary and alternate representatives need to be turned in by next week (NLT 25 FEB)
 - E. Review BOSS representative accountability
- IV. Review minutes of last BOSS Representative meeting: 02 FEB 2011
 - A. Review how minutes are reviewed and approved
 - B. All minutes will be emailed out after they are approved to the BOSS representatives so they can present them to their commands and single Soldiers
- V. Old Business
 - A. Valentines Grams
 - 1. Spent \$596 on roses, chocolate, and cards
 - 2. \$500 donated
 - 3. Sold \$249 worth of Valentines Grams
 - 4. Made \$153.
 - 5. AAR
 - B. Jesus, Hope, and Love Mission
 - 1. Status of mission
 - 2. Volunteers are needed every Friday afternoon at 1300
 - C. Call of Duty-Pluckers Tournament
 - 1. Status of tournament
 - 2. Soldiers can still participate on 17 and 24 FEB at 1300
 - 3. Soldiers can bring their own controllers
 - 4. Prizes for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places each Thursday
 - 5. Championships are on 24 FEB with prizes to the winners
 - D. Wii Bowling Tournament
 - 1. March (need to chose a date)
 - 2. Are we charging the Soldiers to play?
 - 3. Prizes?
 - 4. Volunteer committee
 - 5. POC:

- E. Exceptional Family Members Program (EFMP) Annual Conference and Awareness Fair
 - 1. 10-15 Soldiers are needed to help set up for the event at 1800 on 25 FEB at the Comanche Chapel. Tear down is on 26 FEB at 1730. (The event is from 0700-1730 on 26 FEB)
 - 2. Volunteer committee
 - 3. POC: Ms. Williams, 254-289-0022
- F. March Car Show
 - 1. Postponed: Set a new date
 - 2. Set a location
 - 3. Need sponsors and businesses willing to come and set up tables and/or tents
 - 4. Need decent prizes/trophies picked out. (Soldiers will spend a decent amount on their cars. We need to reward them.)
 - 5. Volunteer committee
 - 6. POC:
- G. Fort Hood Officers' Spouses' Club (FHOSC) annual Wild West Casino Night
 - 1. 4-5 MAR
 - 2. Ten Soldiers are needed to set up on 4 MAR from 1000-1800 and tear down on 5 MAR at midnight. (The event is on 5 MAR at Club Hood from 1800-midnight.)
 - 3. Event includes live entertainment, cancan girls, a Texas Hold 'Em tournament, black jack, roulette, a live auction, silent auction, bingo, and basket emporium. Food and drink will be available for purchase. Event is open to the public (must be 18).
 - 4. Volunteer committee
 - 5. POC: wildwestfthood@gmail.com
- H. Pool Tournament
 - 1. 15 MAR, 1800 – 2200 at BNG Pool Hall, Killeen, TX
 - 2. \$5/Soldier
 - 3. Prizes
 - 4. Volunteer committee
 - 5. POC:
- I. Single Soldier Day
 - 1. 13 MAY
 - 2. Event location change – No longer at BLORA
 - 3. Chose new location
 - a. Phantom Warrior Center
 - b. III Corps field
 - c. Corner of Battalion and Clear Creek (softball fields)
 - 4. Volunteer committee
 - 5. POC:
- J. Camping Trip
 - 1. Colorado Bend State Park: 8-9 APR
 - 2. \$25/Soldier (includes food, tents, and transportation)
 - 3. Volunteer committee
 - 4. POC:

K. Paintball

1. 21 APR at BLORA (meet at PWC at 1300)
2. \$15/Soldier (includes everything)
3. BOSS supplies transportation
4. Volunteer committee
5. POC:

L. Cancun Trip

1. 27-30 MAY
2. \$750/Soldier (includes plane ticket, cruise, food, and drinks (alcoholic))
3. \$20/Soldier for the bus fare down to Austin and back to catch the flight
4. \$150 deposit due to Casa Blanca Travel
5. Soldiers must have a passport
6. Soldiers must put in for out-of-country pass/leave
7. POC: Casa Blanca Travel, 254-526-5555

M. BOSS Conference

1. Date
2. Location

VI. New Business

A. Take a Soldier Fishing

1. 18-20 FEB at Sam Rayburn (est. 5 hours east of Fort Hood)
2. No transportation (Soldier must provide own)
3. No food included. Restaurant onsite to purchase meals at a discounted price
4. Sign up online: www.takeasoldierfishing.org/index.html
5. POC: Mike Nashif, 936-872-3082

B. "Right on the Money" Competition

1. 22 FEB, 1330-1630 at PWC
2. Team competition based on "Family Feud"
3. Refreshments served
4. Prizes (have a chance in the "Money Machine")
5. Zumba demonstration
6. BOSS needs to have four Soldiers to complete a team (need to know TODAY)

C. Texas Hold 'Em Tournament

1. 25 MAR; 1, 8, 15-16 APR at Patton's Inn (time TBD)
2. DA event; champion advances to regional's
3. 10-15 Soldiers needed for set-up/tear-down, dealers, hosts, etc
4. Volunteer committee
5. POC: Jennifer Stone, 254-394-1664; or Melissa Hanson, 254-532-5329 (both of Club Hood)

D. Earth Fest 2011

1. 29 APR, event time: 1500-2100 at 79th St. Gate; set-up and tear-down times TBD
2. Requesting a 16' x 16' stage and a 28' x 32' stage
3. 50-60 volunteers needed
 - a. Set up stages, pick up trash, escort children to each event, tear-down
 - b. T-shirts, lunch and dinner are provided free of charge
 - c. Names of volunteers needed NLT 25 FEB
 - d. T-shirt sizes needed with the names
4. Volunteer committee
5. POC: Christine Luciano, 254-535-1008, christine.luciano@us.army.mil

E. BOSS Softball Tournament

1. Dates
2. Locations
3. Volunteer committee
4. POC:

F. Fishing for Freedom

1. 14 OCT: banquet at Killeen Convention Center, tournament begins at daylight 15 OCT at BLORA
2. Professional angler Alton Jones is featured speaker and Earl Bentz of Triton Boats promised a lot more pro angler volunteers to take Soldiers on a fishing trip of a lifetime.
3. Volunteers needed for "Kids' Corner" at the banquet, shore guides, parking assistants, etc.
4. Volunteer committee
5. POC: Rick Smith, 254-773-9931, rick@marineoutlet.com

G. Community Service Ideas:

1. National Lemonade Day
 - a. 1 MAY (Sunday)
 - b. Volunteers needed to register kids, stuff backpacks, and drink lemonade!
 - c. POC: Amanda Stephens, 254-338-6224
1. Animal shelter
 - a. See additional sheet for information
2. Coaching youth sports
 - a. Youth Sports and Fitness (YS&F) at the Bronco Youth Center
 - b. Volunteer coaches are needed for all sports (no experience necessary)
 - c. POC: YS&F, 254-288-3770
3. Habitat for Humanity
 - a. See additional sheet for information

H. Recreation/Leisure Ideas:

1. Vegas Trip - 27-30 MAY/Memorial Day weekend
 - b. approx \$550/Soldier
 - c. initial hotel is the Riviera
 - d. POC: Casa Blanca Travel, 254-526-5555
2. Boulders Rock Climbing
 - a. \$21 unit package deal (all day includes training, shoes & chalk)
 - b. POC: Boulders Sport Climbing Center, 254-690-9772

3. Skydiving
 - a. \$150-160/Soldier
 - b. POC:
 4. Deep sea fishing
 5. White water rafting
 6. Disney World Trip
 7. Roller skate night
 8. Orienteering/Scavenger hunt (running or walking)
 9. Golf scramble
 10. Bowling
 - a. See additional sheet for prices, hours, and POCs
- I. Council positions
1. President
 2. Vice President
 3. Secretary
 4. Treasurer
- J. BOSS Boards
1. SOP will be written
 2. Every unit will have one
 3. POC: SGT Vobian, carrie.vobian@us.army.mil
- K. BOSS websites
1. www.hood.army.mil/boss/boss.aspx
 2. www.facebook.com/#!/FortHoodBOSS
 3. Review and bring back ideas to next meeting
 4. POC: SGT Vobian, carrie.vobian@us.army.mil
- L. Wear BOSS shirt to work day
1. Is this something we as representatives would like to do?
 2. Get permission from CSM Ashford
 3. BOSS Reps will wear their BOSS shirts to work on the days of BOSS meetings, with khaki pants and nice shoes, pending on your duty at work (ex: mechanics, etc.)
 4. Need a count of shirts needed
 5. Color of shirts
 6. Style of shirts (polo or t-shirt)
- M. Fort Hood Directory
1. Do we want to have an ad in the 2011 Fort Hood Directory?
 2. Review costs
- N. BOSS Volunteer of the Year Award – Need a name TODAY
- O. New meeting times (due to the newcomers brief conflicts on Wednesdays)
- P. Additions/comments
- Q. Adjournment